

THE LITTLE SCHOOLMASTER OF THE EAST.



Little Schoolmaster—It's a Shame to Whip This Boy So Often When He Has So Much Trouble at Home, But He Must Learn His Geography Lesson.

A LULL IN FIGHTING

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JAPANESE LOST ABOUT 7,000.

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Gen. Mischenko's Wound Is Serious—Gen. Kondratovich Was Shot Through Lung, and Bullet Lodged in His Spine.

London, Feb. 1.—The Daily Telegraph's Tokyo correspondent says the Russian casualties in the engagements from January 25 to January 29 are now estimated at between 36,000 and 42,000 and those of the Japanese at 7,000.

Mukden, Feb. 1.—There is another lull in the fighting, but it is impossible to tell how long it will last. The Russian losses the last few days were about 10,000. Many of the bodies of the killed have not yet been gathered. Lieut. Gen. Stackelberg's corps was the heaviest loser. The Japanese losses, according to Chinese reports, were also heavy. The Russians took about 500 prisoners. The Japanese forces on the Russian right were originally about 10,000, who were routed and panic-stricken, but afterwards they were strongly reinforced from the Japanese right.

Gen. Mischenko's wound is serious, a bullet having fractured his knee joint. Gen. Kondratovich was shot through the lungs, and the bullet lodged at his spine, from whence it has been extracted. His chief of staff, Col. Andrieff, was severely wounded in the head.

The Plans Changed. Mukden, Jan. 31, via Tien Tsin.—There is no apparent connection between the starting of the battle of January 25 and the domestic excitement at St. Petersburg, nor orders just issued to abandon the planned advance against the Japanese positions. The effect of the trouble in Russia is as yet imperceptible here. The facts are not generally known. Officers possessing information of occurrences at home say that the disaffected are probably using the present war as a pretext for their periodical demonstrations, which were known, are regarded no more seriously than formerly.

The commander-in-chief's orders to abandon the advance are reported to state two reasons for stopping the advance—first, the losses sustained; second, the failure of a quick attack, upon which the advance depended.

The precise meaning of the above is not apparent. Notwithstanding the order to cease, a tenacious conflict continued in the vicinity of San Chiapu, a fortified outpost on the Japanese left, where it is reported the Russians have taken the outer works.

Bronze Medals of Honor. Washington, Feb. 1.—Senator Lodge introduced a bill authorizing the striking of bronze medals of honor to be awarded to persons displaying conspicuous courage in saving lives in railroad wrecks or in preventing such wrecks.

The Loss Was Heavy. St. Petersburg, Feb. 1.—A telegram from Schlatun states that the Russian losses from January 25 to 28 were 10,000, but that the percentage of dead was small. The Japanese losses were very heavy. Over 300 were made prisoners.

IN THE CONGRESS.

An Amendment To the Army Bill Was Defeated in the House.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Senate.—The senate continued the consideration of the joint statehood bill with Mr. Nelson as the principal speaker. A number of bills were passed, including one largely increasing the fees for incorporating stock companies in the District of Columbia.

House.—The treatment by Gen. Nelson A. Miles of Jefferson Davis, president of the confederacy, during the time he was a prisoner at Fortress Monroe, Va., was recalled when Mr. Williams (Miss.), the minority leader, tried to secure the adoption of the senate amendment to the house provision regarding retired officers serving with the state militia. Messrs. Hull (Ia.) and Hay (Va.) endorsed the house provision, making it retroactive. The latter declared it was democratic doctrine to save money and for that reason called upon the democrats to stand by the committee. It was at this juncture that Mr. Williams arose and spoke of the action of Gen. Miles in placing shackles on the ankles of Jefferson Davis. He shared, he said, the opinion of southern people, but he did not think it was the time, the place nor the way to get even. Mr. Williams' motion to agree to the senate amendment which does not make the law concerning retired officers retroactive was lost, 79 to 171. The bill then was sent to conference.

AUTOMOBILE RACING.

H. L. Bowden, in His Twin 60-Horse Power Car, Made a Mile in 32.45.

Ormond, Fla., Feb. 1.—The greatest automobile meeting ever held in this country or any other country so far as smashing records is concerned closed here.

The last performance was the running of a mile in 32.45 seconds by H. L. Bowden in his twin 60-horse power car. After the day's events had been finished he asked permission of the officials to try for the kilometer and mile records and the course was cleared for him. He took a good flying start and as he tripped the wire of the automatic timing machine the crowd expected a new world's record, for the car was going faster than the speed of a hurricane. Unfortunately the kilometer time was not caught on the automatic, but several watches gave it as 29 3/4 seconds, the world's record being 21.25.

The ten-mile record was again smashed to pieces. It was in the finals of the Ormond derby for the Maj. Miller trophy. Young MacDonald, who won the trophy, covered the ten miles in 6:15. The record before this meet was 6:50, made by W. K. Vanderbilt here last year.

Colored Soldiers' Home.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Senator Hale offered an amendment to the sundry civil bill appropriating \$200,000 for the erection of a memorial national home in honor of deceased colored soldiers of the civil war, the home to be used for indigent soldiers and their needy families.

Sailed For the Isthmus.

New York, Feb. 1.—Dr. Charles L. Reed, of Cincinnati, and Thomas Goff, of Washington, commissioner to settle remaining differences between the United States and Panama arising under the canal convention, sailed for the Isthmus.

Consuls Appointed.

Panama, Feb. 1.—President Amador has made the following appointments: C. Gilbert Wheeler, to be consul at Chicago; James R. Shaler, formerly superintendent of the Panama railroad, to be consul at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Berea and Vicinity.

GATHERED FROM A VARIETY OF SOURCES

Mrs. Campbell has been considerably under the weather lately.

Misses Douglas, Hendricks and Welch took a Richmond trip Saturday.

Tom Adams, who has been in Hamilton for some months, is back again.

Miss Adelia Fox, of Narrow Gap, visited with Mrs. Frost the past week, returning Monday.

A new iron bridge of heavier weight than is now over Brushy fork will replace the old one.

Mrs. S. TouVelle returned Monday night from Celina, O., where she has been on a visit for sometime.

Mrs. Maggie Adams Overly, Hamilton, Ohio, was called to the death bed of her father Sunday night.

Mrs. J. W. Dinsmore has recovered from a very painful attack of grippe, and is once more teaching her classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lewis have gone to Cincinnati, where Mr. Lewis will work at his painter's trade until Summer.

The condition of Miss Laura Duncan remains about the same. The expected operation has not yet been performed.

W. D. Logsdon and family moved from Brassfield to Berea Friday, and will live in Mr. Kidd's house on Center Street.

Mrs. J. C. Burnam on Thursday night entertained at a six o'clock course dinner four friends. A pleasant evening was spent.

Miss Brooks held a revival service for scholars of the colored school Wednesday afternoon, with the good results of 34 starting the new life.

Prof. and Mrs. L. V. Dodge entertained at dinner Saturday night Misses Bearinger, Hollister, Hendricks, Sypherd and Dr. and Mrs. Cowley.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Bellebaum were called to Louisville Monday night on account of sudden illness of relative. Mr. Bellebaum returned Wednesday morning.

Again we were so favored with wintry weather as to make possible two sleighing parties of College young people; one on Monday, and the other Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Thos. Smith, of Clarence, Ky., will preach at Silver Creek Baptist church Saturday and Sunday, February 4 and 5, at 11 a. m., and a good attendance is solicited. Business of importance.

Grover C. Hunt died at Paint Lick January 16th, aged 19 years and 6 months. He was buried in the Boatwright graveyard. Two sisters at home and three brothers in Illinois are left.

Miss Melina White, of Fayette, Missouri, Miss Margaret White of Richmond, cousins of J. W. Stephens, came on Saturday for a short visit. Monday night, a few of the young folks were invited in to meet them.

Married at the parsonage of the Second Church, Thursday afternoon, Mr. Frank Abney to Miss Ellen Evans. Rev. Mr. McCully performed the ceremony. Only a few friends were present.

A Day of Prayer and fasting for the Churches throughout the United States has been set for Saturday. Owing to the work already being done in the Gospel meetings, it is thought best that no formal observance be held here.

One of our oldest residents, Mr. Wm. M. Adams, senr., passed away Monday night. His funeral was held at the house, two miles from Berea, at 9:30; thence his burial in the Richmond Cemetery at 1:30 p.m. The Masons had charge of the services.

Mrs. A. E. Thomson, now visiting in Medina, Ohio, writes that on a visit to her brother Judge A. A. Thayer, of Canton, Ohio, she attended a McKinley memorial banquet. She is now engaged in visiting her brothers and other relatives and will return next week.

The complete results of the Gospel Meetings will be published next week. To-day, we near the close, and can report that the number of converts has steadily increased each night. The feeling of interest in the work and the opportunity to hear so powerful a speaker as Evangelist Hunt has packed the house nightly with students and townspeople.

Rev. A. T. Beattie, of Forsythe, Mo., has been a visitor from the middle of last week, over Sunday. The Southern Presbyterian Church of that place will soon establish an industrial education plant, making horticulture a leading feature, as it is near the famous Ozark fruit region. As conditions are somewhat similar to those of Eastern Kentucky, Mr. Beattie is making a tour of several schools, going from here to London, Ky., and thence to Asheville, N. C.

SUCH A SURPRISE!



—New York Press.

HORSES.

A horse unaccustomed to the whip will know the meaning of it when it is used at once to correct a fault.

A great majority of the spavins and ringbones, not to speak of the heaves and numerous other horse ailments, are caused by rough and thoughtless driving.

Common sense should tell any one that a horse should be started, urged forward and stopped by the voice and that resort to the whip should never be had unless absolutely necessary.

A horse that must be whipped continually to get work out of him is no good and had a little better be shot. He is an annoyance and a nuisance. He is like an eye servant that must be watched all the time.—Blacksmith and Wheelwright.

CHANGE OF DATE.

As the number announced as next in the Lyceum Course, viz., Louis Spencer Daniel, February 3rd, would interfere with the Revival Meetings, the Bureau has kindly arranged for a change which will greatly accommodate our people. Instead of Mr. Daniel, we are to have Williamson, the gifted Reader of his own productions, on Saturday, Feb. 11th. He is a second James Whitcomb Riley, and will greatly delight both young and old.

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